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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

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APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

1. Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)
(Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)
2. Applicant claims small entity status.
See 37 CFR 1.27.
3. Specification [Total Pages **45**]
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
 - Descriptive title of the invention
 - Cross Reference to Related Applications
 - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
 - Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix
 - Background of the Invention
 - Brief Summary of the Invention
 - Brief Description of the Drawings *(if filed)*
 - Detailed Description
 - Claim(s)
 - Abstract of the Disclosure
4. Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets **9**]
5. Oath or Declaration [Total Pages]
 a. Newly executed (original or copy)
 b. Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63 (d))
(for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)
 - i. **DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)**
 Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
6. Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76

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Continuation Divisional Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No.: _____

Prior application information: Examiner _____

Group Art Unit: _____

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Under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17

Applicant claims small entity status.
See 37 CFR 1.27

- 2. Payment Enclosed:**

Check Credit card Money Order Other

FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity Small Entity

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Code (\$) **Code (\$)**

101 710 201 355 Utility filing fee

106 320 206 160 Design filing fee

Fee Paid

SUBTOTAL (1) (\$) 355

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

		Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
Total Claims	61	-2** = 41	x 9 = 369	
Independent Claims	18	- 3** = 15	x 40 = 600	
Multiple Dependent				=

Large Entity Fee Code	Small Entity Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Fee Description
103	18	203	9	Claims in excess of 20
102	80	202	40	Independent claims in excess of 3
104	270	204	135	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
109	80	209	40	** Reissue independent claims over original patent
110	18	210	9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

SUBTOTAL (2) | (\$) **969**

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FEE CALCULATION (continued)							
3. ADDITIONAL FEES							
Fee Code	Large Entity Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee Description				
105	130	205	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath			
127	50	227	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet			
139	130	139	130	Non-English specification			
147	2,520	147	2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination			
112	920*	112	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action			
113	1,840*	113	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action			
115	110	215	55	Extension for reply within first month			
116	390	216	195	Extension for reply within second month			
117	890	217	445	Extension for reply within third month			
118	1,390	218	695	Extension for reply within fourth month			
128	1,890	228	945	Extension for reply within fifth month			
119	310	219	155	Notice of Appeal			
120	310	220	155	Filing a brief in support of an appeal			
121	270	221	135	Request for oral hearing			
138	1,510	138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding			
140	110	240	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable			
141	1,240	241	620	Petition to revive - unintentional			
142	1,240	242	620	Utility issue fee (or reissue)			
143	440	243	220	Design issue fee			
144	600	244	300	Plant issue fee			
122	130	122	130	Petitions to the Commissioner			
123	50	123	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)			
126	180	126	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt			
581	40	581	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)			
146	710	246	355	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))			
149	710	249	355	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))			
179	710	279	355	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)			
169	900	169	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application			
Other fee (specify) _____							
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